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UNDER SECRETARY OF COMMERCE FOR INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AND  
DIRECTOR OF THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

May 23, 2007

LOWE HAUPTMAN GILMAN & BERNER, LLP  
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Dear Sir/Madam,

Your refund request for 10579722 in the amount of \$130.00 has been denied .

The refund is denied. The surcharge is due for the submission of the declaration/oath after 30 from the priority date or 32 months from the date of the missing part notice.

Sincerely,

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